



LEXINGTON

Parks & Recreation

2019-2020 | Fall-Winter Guide



WHO WE ARE

MISSION STATEMENT

Build community and enrich life through parks, programs and play.

INCLUSION STATEMENT

We invite everyone to take part in all our Parks & Recreation programs and activities. To request an accommodation, please contact [\(859\) 288-2928](tel:8592882928) at least two weeks prior to program start date. In some cases, reasonable modifications may take longer.

POLICIES

Parks & Recreation enforces the following policies: altercation; equal opportunity; refunds; scholarships; severe weather and emergency conditions; and photo release. All policies are available at lexingtonky.gov/parks or individuals may call [288-2900](tel:2882900) to request a copy. For a full list of policies, please visit lexingtonky.gov/parks-recreation-policies.

CONTACT

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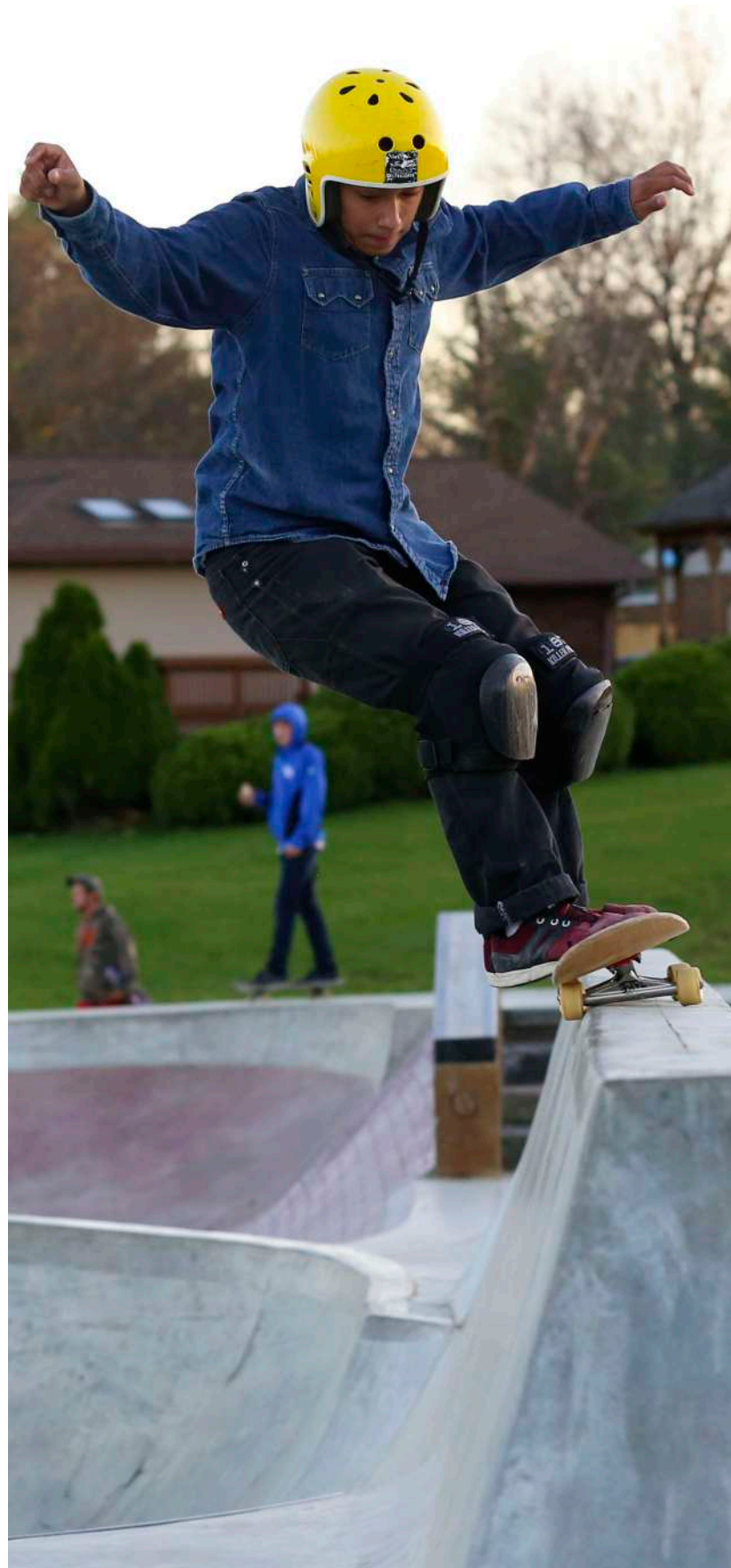
FROM THE DIRECTOR

Fall in Lexington is my favorite time of year. Changing leaves color our parks, the Extended School Program is in full swing, crisp mornings – perfect for a trail walk, football games and Halloween events!

We are so excited to present our fall activity lineup that is filled to the brim with new programs, special events, and unique experiences. Whether you're looking to catch a train to Hogwarts during Friday Night Flicks, try your hand at pickleball, or build your own gingerbread house, we have something for everyone.

Our team strives to provide the highest quality programs and events to our residents. We believe that community and neighborhood engagement are keys to our success. If you have comments, questions, or concerns, please reach out to our department and let us know how we can better serve you.

Thank you,
Monica Conrad
Director, Lexington Parks & Recreation



HOW TO USE THE GUIDE

The following pages have information regarding each area of Lexington Parks & Recreation. All dates, times and locations are accurate at the time of printing; however, all information is subject to change. For the most up to date information visit lexingtonky.gov/parks or call [\(859\) 288-2900](tel:8592882900).

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Online registration is available for all participants at lexingtonky.gov/parks. You must have a user ID and password to use the online system.

Returning Users: We encourage you to update your household information before registration opens for each area.

New Users: New users may register for an ID and password at lexingtonky.gov/newuser. You may register in person by coming to the Dunbar Community Center between 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday. You must bring proof of age documentation, no exceptions. We must have positive proof of age for all those 17 years of age and younger in the household.

Proof of age documentation includes: birth certificate, passport, immunization certificate, insurance card, or other government issued identification card or document.

For more information, visit lexingtonky.gov/parks, call [\(859\) 288-2900](tel:8592882900) or email parkswebhelp@lexingtonky.gov.

IN-PERSON REGISTRATION

Walk-in registrations are accepted from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. at the Dunbar Community Center (545 North Upper Street). Registration will remain open until all slots are full. Registration dates for athletics and other programs are listed with their respective area.

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

We cannot guarantee slots for mailed registrations.

Mailed registrations will be processed after walk-in registration. These are processed on a first-come, first-served postmarked basis, for remaining slots.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Select camps, programs and leagues provide partial scholarships. Partial scholarships are available to participants based on need. Individuals seeking scholarships must fill out an income eligibility application. Proof of income includes KTAP, KCHIP, medical card or other form of government aide. All participants must re-apply for scholarship eligibility every year. Scholarship recipients must re-submit documentation of income eligibility on January 1, 2020.

REFUNDS/CANCELLATIONS

Parks & Recreation programs, with the exception of ESP, offer partial refunds if requested no fewer than seven business days before the start of an activity. Refunds are issued in the form of a check in approximately 4 – 6 weeks. Refunds may apply to another activity by indicating this on the refund request form. Refund request forms are available on our website. Forms should be submitted to the activity/program manager for approval. Parks & Recreation, 545 North Upper Street (40508).

Appeals for denial may be made in writing by submitting the refund request to the Deputy Director, Parks & Recreation, 545 North Upper Street (40508).

All programs, fees, dates and availability are subject to change due to a variety of factors. Some factors may be beyond the control of Parks & Recreation. For the most current information, visit www.lexingtonky.gov/parks. We appreciate your patience and cooperation.

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ATHLETICS



All youth leagues have sport-specific playing time requirements. We provide all participants playing time to develop skills and enjoyment of the sport. Parks and Recreation certifies all volunteers for coaches of youth sports leagues. Leagues and programs are available to both boys and girls ages 5 - 15. There are a limited number of teams and team roster sizes. A limited number of scholarships are available. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Team registration is open to players who have played for that team before, in the same age division. All other players register as a new player. Teams are assigned at the end of the registration period.

For more information regarding Athletics, please contact Darliene Haley at [\(859\) 288-2921](tel:8592882921) or dhaley@lexingtonky.gov.

Youth Sports

BASKETBALL

Registration Period: Oct. 1 - 31
Registration Fee: \$65 per participant
Season: Saturdays, Dec. - March

Co-Rec Little Dribblers (Ages 5-6)
Co-Rec Training Leagues (Ages 7-9)
Co-Rec Jr. Varsity Leagues (Ages 10-12)

Basketball leagues for boys and girls ages 5 - 12. Player's age as of Aug. 1 2019 determines league eligibility.

Basketball Clinic

Dunbar Community Center
Saturday, Oct. 26 | 2-3 p.m.
FREE
Open to ages 5-12

CO-ED KICKBALL (SPRING)

Registration Period: March 1 - 31
Registration Fee: \$45 per participant,
(uniform not included)

Open to boys and girls ages 6-15. Player's age as of Feb. 1, 2020 determines league eligibility.

SOFTBALL (GIRLS FAST PITCH)

Registration Period: Feb. 1 - March 31
Registration Fee: \$45 per participant,
(uniform not included)
Practice begins: April/May
Season begins: June/July

Open to girls, ages 7-14. Player's age as of Dec. 31, 2019 determines league eligibility.

Leagues offered at Douglass and Kirklevington Parks. Season consists of a regular season and a post-season single elimination tournament. Games canceled due to weather may reschedule on days/evenings other than those indicated. Limited number of scholarships are available to those who qualify.

INSTRUCTIONAL T-BALL

Registration Period: Feb. 1 - March 31
Registration Fee: \$45, (uniform not included)
Practices begin: April/May
League games begin: June/July

Open to boys and girls ages 5-6. Player's age as of April 30, 2020 determines league eligibility.

Participants learn the fundamentals of the game without the competitive demands. No score is recorded. Six-year-olds that play in this league may not participate in other Parks & Recreation T-ball leagues. Leagues offered at Kirklevington, Redding Road fields with a 10-game season.

BASEBALL

Registration Period: Feb. 1 - March 31
Registration Fee: \$45, (uniform not included)
Practices begin: April/May
League games begin: June/July

Open to boys and girls 7-15. Player's age as of April 30, 2020 determines league eligibility. All participants will bat and field in every game. Seasons consist of 9 games and a post-season single elimination tournament.

Ages 9-12 | Locations: Castlewood,
Douglass, Idle Hour

Ages 13-15 | Constitution

COACH PITCH LEAGUE AGES:

Ages: 7-8 years
Locations: Castlewood, Douglass,
Idle Hour

JUNIOR TENNIS CLINICS

Registration Period

Session 1: March 1 - May 19

Session 2: March 1 - June 15

Registration fee: \$60 per participant

Seasons M-F

Session 1: June 1 - 26

Session 2: July 6 - 31

Clinics are conducted for participant's ages 4-5, 6-10 and ages 11-15. Participant's ages on beginning date of the selected session determines age group. Class sizes are limited. Each clinic will offer instruction as determined by specific participant's ages and/or skill levels. Participants will also have match play opportunities. Participants may enroll in either or both of the two four-week sessions. A minimum of four participants is required at each clinic site. Clinics offered may be canceled or combined in the event of low participation. Limited scholarships are available for those who qualify.

Ecton Park

Ages 6-10: 1 p.m.

Ages 11-15: 2 p.m.

Shillito Park

Ages 4-5: 10 a.m.

Ages 6-10: 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m.

Ages 11-15: 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m.

COMPETITIVE TEAM

Registration Period: March 1 - May 19

Registration Fee: \$60 per participant

Season: June 1 - July 31 (no class July 4)

M-F. 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. | Shillito Tennis Complex

Instruction and match play experience is offered for advanced/intermediate players of middle and high school age. Tryouts are required and will be held on the first day of the season. Transportation to and from daily lessons and matches is the responsibility of each participant. Match schedules will be determined. Limited number of scholarships are available for those who qualify.



Adult Sports

VOLLEYBALL

Fall (Sand)

Co-ed Registration Period: August 1 - 31
Ages: 16 and over
Registration Fee: \$225 per team
Season: Sept. - Oct. | Kirklevington Park

Winter (Indoor Co-ed)

Registration Period: Dec. 1 - 21
Ages: 16 and over
Registration Fee: \$225 per team
Season: Sundays, Jan. - March
Castlewood Center | Games begin at 2 p.m.

ADULT PICKLEBALL

Leagues (18 and over)
Registration Fee: \$15 per participant for singles or doubles team
Registration Period
Session 1: March 1 - April 17
Session 2: March 1 - June 23
Sessions
Session 1: May 4 - June 27
Session 2: July 20 - Sept. 11

Singles and doubles leagues are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis for a variety of skill levels. Weekday matches begin at 5:45 p.m. Mondays will be for beginners, Tuesdays will be for advanced beginners, and Wednesdays will be for intermediate. Saturday at 9 a.m. is reserved for mixed doubles. All matches are played at Kirklevington pickleball courts.

TENNIS

Tennis Clinics
Registration Period
Session 1: March 1 - May 12
Session 2: March 1 - June 16
Sessions
Session 1: June 1 - June 26
Session 2: July 6 - 31 (no class July 4)
Registration Fee: \$50 per clinic, per participant
Clinics are conducted at three skill levels. Participants must be ages 16 and over. Participant's age is considered age on beginning date of selected session. Class sizes are limited. Clinics are held from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Clinics may be canceled or combined in the event of low participation.

Beginner: little or no experience

Mondays | Glendover Park

Advanced Beginner: some experience, still needing basics

Tuesdays | Glendover Park

Intermediate: experience, need to develop shots/mechanics

Wednesdays | Glendover Park

TENNIS LEAGUES

Registration Period
Session 1: March 1 - April 17
Session 2: March 1 - June 19
Sessions
Session 1: April 27 - June 26
Session 2: July 6 - Sept. 11
Registration Fee: \$50 per participants for singles or doubles team

Singles and doubles leagues are offered at a variety of levels for participants ages 16 or older. Participant's age on beginning date determines session. League spots fill on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Weekday matches begin at 6 p.m., Monday-Thursday. All matches are played at the Shillito Park tennis courts.

Leagues

Women's Singles (Monday) - 2.5 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 4.0

Men's Singles (Tuesday) - 2.5 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 4.5

Mixed Doubles Combo Ratings (Wednesday) - 5.5 | 6.5 | 7.5

Women's Doubles (Thursday) - 3.0 | 4.0

Men's Doubles (Thursday) - 3.0 | 4.0

KICKBALL

Registration Period: August 1 - 31
Registration Fee: \$150
Season: September Kickball league is for individuals ages 16 and over.

SPRING SOFTBALL

Registration Period: Feb. 1 - March 6
Registration Fee: \$375
NSA Sanction Fee: \$25 (separate payment)
Season Begins: April 5

Leagues

Co-ed: Church, Competitive, and Recreational

Men's: 50 and over | Church, Independent, and Major

Women's: Church, Independent

Locations: Athens Complex, Castlewood, Southland, and Woodland Parks

Softball leagues for individuals ages 16 and over.

ARTWORKS

A young girl with dark hair tied in a bun with a pink bow is standing in a dance studio. She is wearing a pink leotard with a tutu and pink ballet slippers. She is looking back over her shoulder at the camera. The background shows a dance studio with wooden floors and a large window with a wooden frame.

Artworks is an art and cultural arts center located at the Carver School. Our purpose is to educate, inspire artistic creativity and enrich the lives of our participants by providing opportunities and resources to people of all ages and abilities. We offer various classes and workshops in the fall and spring semesters. Opportunities for adults and children include classes in dance, Zumba, martial arts, archery, pottery, Irish dancing, and much more. Visit lexingtonky.gov/parks for the complete class schedule or call (859) 425-2057. Online registration at lexingtonky.gov/parks, as well as walk/phone/mail-in registration, will continue until all slots fill or classes begin.

Artworks at the Carver School
522 Patterson Street
(859) 425-2057

Dance

KIDDIE KAPERS DANCE

Kiddie Kapers is an arts enrichment program focusing on dance instruction for youth ranging in age from 2-15 years. All of our classes are divided up by age and experience as a guide for ability levels. The classes take place in two convenient locations, Artworks and the Tates Creek Recreation Center. All classes are held in the afternoon and evenings, Monday-Thursday. In addition, preschool classes are available some mornings. Kiddie Kapers classes meet once per week, on the same day and time slot for 10 weeks prior to winter break and 12 weeks following winter break. Classes culminate with a spring recital at the Lexington Opera House. The fee for a 22-week class is \$200 (recital costume included.) Partial scholarships are available.

Tiny Dancers, Preschool, Beginning and Intermediate Dance classes are a mixture of more traditional forms of dance including tap, jazz and ballet.

Jazz/Hip Hop Dance classes consist of an upbeat fusion of contemporary dance including hip hop and dance team music and movements.

Ballet includes the basics of ballet dance with barre work, floor and dance combinations.

Acro is a style of dance that combines jazz and hip hop dance techniques with acrobatic elements.

EVERYBODY DANCE

Youth

(ages 6-12)
Thursdays, 6 - 6:45 p.m. | FREE
Spring Session: Feb. 6 - April 30

Adult

(ages 16 and over)
Thursdays, 7 - 8 p.m. | \$50
Spring Session: Feb. 6 - April 30

This class is in partnership with Therapeutic Recreation and allows students with special needs to express themselves through dance and movement. Basics of ballet, tap, and jazz will be explored. Contact Therapeutic Recreation at (859) 288-2908 for registration information

BLUEGRASS CEILI ACADEMY (IRISH DANCE)

Irish Dance for Beginners

(ages 6 and older)
Mondays, 5:30 - 6:15 p.m.
Cost: Fall-\$70/ Spring-\$70
Session 1: Sept. 23 - December 2
Session 2: February 3 - May 4

Youth Irish Dance

(ages 6-15)
Mondays, 6:15-7:15 p.m. | Fall-\$70/
Spring-\$70
Session 1: Sept. 23 - December 2
Session 2: February 3 - May 4

Adult Irish Dance

(ages 16 and over)
Mondays, 7:15 - 8:15 p.m.
Cost: Fall-\$70/ Spring-\$70
Session 1: Sept. 23 - December 2
Session 2: February 3 - May 4

Bluegrass Ceili Academy classes focus on the basic techniques of Irish dance with an emphasis on group (ceili) dancing. Specific instruction will include standard ceili dances and original choreographies for performance. No previous dance experience necessary, however students with previous dance or Irish dance experience are welcome.

ARTWORKS & KIDDIE KAPERS REGISTRATION

Registration is open now and will continue until all classes fill or begin.

Register online:
lexingtonky.gov/parks

Register in person or mail form to:
Artworks at the Carver School
522 Patterson St.
Lexington, KY 40508

For more information or to register by phone please call Artworks at (859)425-2057.

Artworks office hours are
9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday

For registration, scholarship and refund information visit our website at lexingtonky.gov/parks or email us at sbuckles@lexingtonky.gov.

Each class has a minimum and maximum number of students. We reserve the right to cancel a class in the event we do not reach our minimum enrollment. Every effort will be made to place students in another class if the class you register for should be canceled.

Arts Education

KARATEDO

Shorin-Ken Beginner Karate (Karatedo)

(ages 6-8)

Wed., 6 - 7 p.m. | \$70 per session

Session 1: September 25 - Dec. 4

Session 2: February 5 - April 29

Shorin-Ken Beginner Karate (Karatedo)

(ages 9 and over/negotiable with permission of instructor)

Mondays, 6 - 7 p.m. | \$70 per session

Session 1: September 23 - Dec. 2

Session 2: February 3 - April 27

Shorin-Ken Intermediate Karate

(Intermediate prerequisite - students must receive permission from instructor to register at this level)

Mondays, 7 - 8 p.m. | \$70 per session

Session 1: September 23 - Dec. 2

Session 2: February 3 - April 27

Shorin-Ken Adult Karate

(ages 16 and over)

Wed., 7 - 8 p.m. | \$70 per session

Session 1: September 25 - Dec. 4

Session 2: Feb. 5 - April 29

Study classical Japanese Karatedo in a traditional, non-competitive atmosphere that stresses refined forms, practice, and discipline. Students will increase their physical fitness, mental focus, and self-confidence through the study of this martial art. Participants learn basic hand and foot techniques, forms and partner drills. As students progress, more advanced techniques are introduced along with an increased understanding of their application. Karatedo rank and colored belts are awarded to students who successfully demonstrate skill levels appropriate for advancement. Session 1 will perform in the Holiday show at the end of the fall session.

YOUTH ARCHERY (ages 8-15)

Wed., 6 - 7 p.m. | \$65 per session

Session 1: Nov. 6 - Dec. 11

Session 2: February 5 - March 11

Session 3: March 18 - April 29

This class explores the fundamentals of archery, including safety, equipment, marksmanship, sportsmanship, and shooting styles. Students will obtain a basic understanding of archery skills by the end of the course. All equipment is provided.

ZUMBA

(ages 16 and over)

Thursdays, 6 - 7 p.m. | FREE

Session 1: September 26 - Dec. 6

Session 2: February 7 - May 2

Join us for a high-energy, dance cardio group class. Movements from many different Latin dances, such as salsa, merengue, mambo, and many others, are set to upbeat hip hop music. You'll forget you're at a workout during this party-like atmosphere! Registration is free and available at the class.

PAINTING

Junior Masterpiece Makers

(ages 6-11)

Tuesdays, 6 - 7:30 p.m. | \$65

September 24 - October 30

In this class, junior students will learn the basics of five styles of art: Modernism, Expressionism, Abstract, Impressionism and Cubism. The teen class will learn the same five along with Surrealism. Students will be creating a painting to bring home and display in each of these styles and will also learn color theory and brush techniques.

MUSIC

Artworks Community Choir

Ages 16 and over

Thursdays, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

\$35 per session

Session 1: Sept. 5 - Dec. 4

Session 2: Feb. 5 - April 29

Do you enjoy choral singing, meeting people, and performing vocal music? If so, consider joining our choir! There will be a performance at the end of the semester to showcase what has been learned.

POTTERY

Beginning Pottery

(ages 16 and over)

Tuesdays, 6 - 8:30 p.m.

\$120 per session

Session 1: Sept. 24 - Dec. 3

Session 2: Feb. 4 - April 1

This class teaches the fundamentals of working with clay through hand building and wheel techniques. Weekly demonstrations walk students through completing projects designed to enhance skills. Students will be introduced to the potter's wheel and learn to hand-build pinch pots, bowls, mugs, and keepsake boxes as well as explore their own ideas for a special final project. Glazing and surface decoration will also be taught. All materials including clay and glazes are provided.





Intermediate Pottery

(ages 16 and over)

Thursdays, 6:30 - 9 p.m.

\$120 per session

Session 1: Sept. 26 - Dec. 5

Session 2: Feb. 6 - April 16

Refine your technique and achieve new goals. This class reviews the basics and then incorporates advanced work such as lidded vessels, pulled handles and assembling separate components. This is a 10-week session. All materials including clay and glazes are provided.

Beginning/Intermediate Pottery

(ages 16 and over)

Tuesdays, 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

\$120 per session

Session 1: Sept. 24 - Dec. 3

Session 2: Feb. 4 - April 14

A daytime pottery class for all levels. Whether you are new to pottery or have more experience, this class will have both beginning instruction and guidance for more experienced students looking to improve their skills. Beginners will learn the basics of hand-building, including pinch pots, coil construction, and slab building, instruction on the wheel will also be available once beginners become familiar with the basic properties of construction with clay.

Open Studio Pottery

(ages 18 and over)

Wednesdays, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

\$120 per session

Session 1: Sept. 25 - Dec. 5

Session 2: Feb. 5 - April 15

Open Studio is for the hobby potter who has the skills to work independently. Fees include the use of equipment and clay. Firing will be done by the Artworks staff. Participants may use the studio during the other scheduled class times to check on work and trim, etc. as needed, depending on the availability of wheels. Students registered for a class get first priority on the wheels during their class times.

Workshops

Halloween Jack-o-lantern Printmaking Workshop

(ages 8 and over)

Saturday, Oct. 26, 2 - 5 p.m. | FREE

Visitors can participate in a mini-lesson and make a small monotype or linocut print. Take home an original Halloween keepsake to celebrate the season!

Ornament Wood Carving Workshop

(ages 16 and over)

Saturday, Dec. 14

9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. | \$15

Students gain a basic understanding of creating sculptures in wood and the tools used by creating an ornament. Students will be able to choose the style of ornament they wish to create, just in time for Christmas! All materials are provided.

Gingerbread House Party

Saturday, Dec. 7 | 1 - 3 p.m.

\$5 per builder if registered by Dec. 6

\$8 at the door

Create the house of your dreams while taking part in a timeless holiday tradition. All supplies are included and the best part is we clean up the mess! Please call 288-2927 for registration information.

Valentine's Printmaking Workshop

(ages 8 and over)

Friday, Feb. 7, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. | FREE

Make a small linocut or monotype screen-print valentine with a small instructional lesson that will introduce the basics. Print an original piece of art and take it home for your special someone!

Decorative Spoons Workshop

(ages 16 and over)

Saturday, March 14

9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | \$20

During this workshop, students will gain a basic understanding of creating sculptures in wood and the necessary tools by creating a decorative spoon out of cottonwood bark. All materials are provided.



SPECIAL EVENTS



FREAKY FRIDAY FLICKS

Sponsored by G&J Pepsi-Cola Bottlers, Inc.
MoonDance Amphitheater
Fridays, Sept. 27 - Oct. 11 | Preshow activities 6 p.m., Movie at dusk
Cost: 13 & over, \$2 | 12 & under, FREE
Sept. 27 | "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone"
Oct. 4 | "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets"
Oct. 11 - "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban"

The Hogwarts Express is pulling up to Moondance Amphitheater for three spellbinding nights this fall. Wizards, witches, and muggles alike are sure to appear when Parks conjures up the first three Harry Potter movies to kick off the Halloween season. Wizard worthy pre-show activities are sure to please viewers all ages. Even Death Eaters will succumb to our campfires and roasted marshmallows. Grab your wand and robe, represent your house and settle in to enjoy these magical evenings and movies. Patrons are encouraged to bring blankets, chairs and a thermos of something hot to scare away the chilly autumn air. Food trucks will be available on site.

LITTLE GOBLINS

McConnell Springs
Saturday, Oct. 19, 1 - 5 p.m.
(Rain Date: Sun., Oct. 20)
Cost: 12 & under, \$6 | 13 and over, \$2

Little Goblins ages 12 and under can enjoy the Halloween season with fewer scares at Little Goblins Galore. Youth are encouraged to wear their Halloween costume as they visit their

favorite, non-scary characters along an enchanted, woodland trail. In addition, there will be a petting zoo, a friendly haunted house, and more. Food and soft drinks will be available for purchase throughout the day. The admission fee is \$6 per child with parents/guardians admitted for \$2 each.

HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL AND PARADE

Sponsored by G&J Pepsi-Cola Bottlers, Inc
Downtown Lexington
Sunday, Oct. 27
(Parade rain date: Monday, Oct. 28)

Halloween Festival & Variety Show

Courthouse Plaza 4 - 8 p.m.

Halloween & Thriller Parade

Main Street 6:30 p.m.

More than 30 years after Michael Jackson's groundbreaking video first aired, zombies and the non-dead still come together in downtown Lexington to celebrate Halloween by re-creating Thriller. The day will kick off with Halloween inspired art and performances at 4 p.m. followed by the Halloween parade and Thriller reenactment down Main Street. The dance will occur repeatedly along the route. This event has been named a top 10 Halloween destination by USA Today. To participate in the Halloween parade with a float or as a costumed character please visit our website at www.lexingtonky.gov/parks.

THRILLER ZOMBIE DANCERS

Cost: 13 & over, \$15 | 12 & under, \$10
Participants are required to attend at least 1 regular rehearsal and 1 staging rehearsal. All rehearsals are held at Artworks.
Mondays and Wednesdays, 6 - 7 p.m.
(registration/check-in: 5:30 - 6 p.m.)

Saturdays, 2 - 3 p.m. (registration/check-in: 1:30 - 2 p.m.)

Regular rehearsals: Sept. 30 - Oct. 19

Staging rehearsals: Oct. 21 - 26
Zombie make-up tutorial: Sat., Oct. 19 (following rehearsal)

THRILLER ZOMBIE REGISTRATION:

Zombie dancers MUST register by Saturday, October 19. Participants may register online anytime through Vendini, our online ticketing solution at lexingtonky.gov/parks. Participants may also register in person at all scheduled rehearsals. For more information about Thriller contact Lexington Parks & Recreation, Sarah Buckles at sbuckles@lexingtonky.gov or (859) 425-2057.

GALLERY HOP

Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center
Sept. 20, Nov. 15, Jan. 17
5 - 8 p.m. | Free
The City and Community Galleries at the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center showcase the work of Kentucky artists and are two of 50 locations featured in the LexArts Gallery HOP. Exhibits at the gallery rotate every eight weeks and at each HOP, the gallery provides free refreshments and a cash bar. Official HOP guides are available for download at galleryhoplex.com. See you on the HOP!

PAM MILLER DOWNTOWN ARTS CENTER

Our schedule of special events offers year-round fun. We also offer other entertainment at the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center. Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center is an arts and entertainment center located in the heart of Lexington. It offers exhibitions, theatre, dance, music, visual and new media arts.

Celeste Lewis

clewis2@lexingtonky.gov

141 E. Main Street | (859) 425-2562

Tuesday - Thursday, 12 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Friday - Saturday, 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.

RENTALS

Lexington Parks and Recreation offers several indoor and outdoor facilities to rent for your family, business, or group celebrations and meetings. Reservations can be made in person at the Rentals Office located at 469 Parkway Drive, by calling (859) 288-2976 or (859) 288-2975, or online at <https://www.lexingtonky.gov/browse/recreation/rentals-facilities>. Reservations are accepted Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Please note that new online accounts require a two-day window before the first rental.

Please remember that reservations for large events require a minimum 60-day notice to complete the process. Fees, insurance, and other permits may be required for larger events (more than 50 people) that take place in any Lexington Park.

ARTWORKS RENTALS

Select spaces within the Artworks building are available for arts-related organizations to rent for rehearsals, meetings, etc.

Please call (859) 288-2935 or email mindys@lexingtonky.gov.

PAM MILLER

DOWNTOWN ARTS CENTER

Revolving exhibits in Community and City Galleries, programming year-round in the Black Box Theatre and available for event rentals.

Please call (859) 425-2349 or email clewis2@lexingtonky.gov.

MOONDANCE RENTALS

MoonDance Amphitheater - named one of the 10 Best Live Music Venues in Kentucky by *Best of Kentucky* - is available for live music and community event rentals.

Please call (859) 425-2349 or email clewis2@lexingtonky.gov.

INDOOR FACILITIES

Indoor facilities are available year-round, with scheduling options for the 2020 year now available. Our indoor facilities include The Bell House, McConnell Springs, and Bates Creek Ballroom. Castlewood Barn and Camp Kearney are also available for small gatherings on a very limited basis.

The indoor facilities are excellent for wedding receptions, anniversary celebrations, and reunions. Alcohol consumption is only allowed with a permit at select facilities. Alcohol permit applications must be submitted a minimum of 60 days in advance. Rentals must be made 30 days in advance of event day. Various fees and restrictions apply. Call (859) 288-2975 for more details.

OUTDOOR SHELTERS

Outdoor Shelters:
2020 shelter reservations will begin Thursday, Jan. 2nd at 9 a.m. Shelter rentals are for Southland, Jacobson, Veterans, Shillito, Idle Hour, and Masterson Station Parks. All other shelters are on a first-come, first-serve basis. For more information pertaining to our shelter rentals, please visit the Parks and Recreation website. Various fees and restrictions apply.

Open Space permits are required for company outings, large reunions, or any event with more than 75 people in attendance. Please note that indoor restroom buildings will be closed during the winter months and will not be opened until after the final risk of freeze has passed.

Shelters are currently available to rent for the 2019 calendar year through any reservation method.

OUTDOOR FACILITIES

Outdoor Facilities include Gratz Park, Coldstream Park, and Masterson Station Fairgrounds. Gratz Park is a beautiful location for wedding ceremonies. Coldstream is a wonderful location to host a 5K that uses a portion of the Legacy Trail. Masterson Station Fairgrounds can host multiple outdoor events from 5Ks to company outings.

Cheapside Park/Fifth Third Bank Pavilion is an outdoor facility available for rent with a minimum of a 4-hour window. Due to the unique location of the pavilion, a special events application and special services recreation permit must be completed and approved by Lexington Parks and Recreation as well as the Special Events Commission. Various fees and restrictions apply. Parks Open Space permits are also available for rental at specific parks within Lexington. Call (859)-288-2976 for more details.

GOLF



Whether you're a Lexington native or simply passing through, our golf courses offer affordable green fees at some of the area's best courses. From our Pete and P.B. Dye designed course, Kearney Hill Links, to central Kentucky's first public golf course, the Gay Brewer Jr. Course at Picadome, our courses will challenge beginners and experienced golfers alike.



Foot Golf

Gay Brewer Jr. Course at Picadome and Meadowbrook
Please visit playgolflex.com for course hours and details.

What is Foot Golf?

Foot golf is a unique blend of soccer and golf. Foot golf is played using the basic model of golf, with a tee box, green, bunkers, hazards, a similar scorecard, and 9 or 18 holes to play. The main differences are the cups, which are 21 inches in diameter, the ball (a #5 soccer ball), the shorter holes, and the fact that the players kick the ball instead of using clubs. The goal? Get the ball in the hole with the fewest strokes (kicks) possible. Get more details below and then get your foot in the game!

Foot Golf Basics

Players should wear indoor soccer shoes or tennis shoes. Cleats are not permitted. Proper attire is required (shorts and shirts). Players may bring their own #5 soccer ball or rent one from the pro shop.

Fall Junior Programming

Play Golf Lex Junior Programs are designed to create an exciting environment for kids of all skill levels and experience. Play Golf Lex Junior Golf programming is designed and run by U.S. Kids, TPI Junior and PGA Certified Professionals. We will be offering multiple options that will fit the needs of junior golfers, recreationally or competitively.

Fall Break Golf Camp | October 7-11 | Tates Creek Golf Course

Gilbert-Bunnell Jr. Golf Tour - Fall Series

This junior tour will consist of 9 and 18 hole local events throughout the season. These events will focus on friendly competition for all skill levels.

Please visit playgolflex.com for details and registration information.

COURSES

GAY BREWER JR. COURSE AT PICADOME

469 Parkway Drive | [288-2990](tel:288-2990)

18 Holes | Par 72 | 6,548 yards

This facility was built in 1927 as the first public golf course in Central Kentucky. The facility offers a golf shop, banquet room, swimming pool and snack bar.

KEARNEY HILL GOLF LINKS

3403 Kearney Road | [253-1981](tel:253-1981)

18 Holes | Par 72 | 7,062 yards

A Pete and P.B. Dye design, this premiere course is located in northwest Fayette County. The Scottish style "links" course, characterized by open terrain, few trees and deep sand and grass bunkers. Kearney has achieved the designation as a Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary. This championship facility also features full practice amenities, golf shop, and a full service grill.

LAKESIDE GOLF COURSE

3725 Richmond Road | [263-5315](tel:263-5315)

18 Hole | Par 72 | 7,067 yards

This course opened in July 1970 and is situated on approximately 185 acres, adjacent to Jacobson Park and Jacobson Lake. It features large greens, rolling terrain, practice amenities, and the longest par-5 in the state at over 600 yards. This facility offers a golf shop.

MEADOWBROOK GOLF COURSE

360 Wilson Downing Drive | [272-3115](tel:272-3115)

18 Hole | Par 3 Course | Par 55

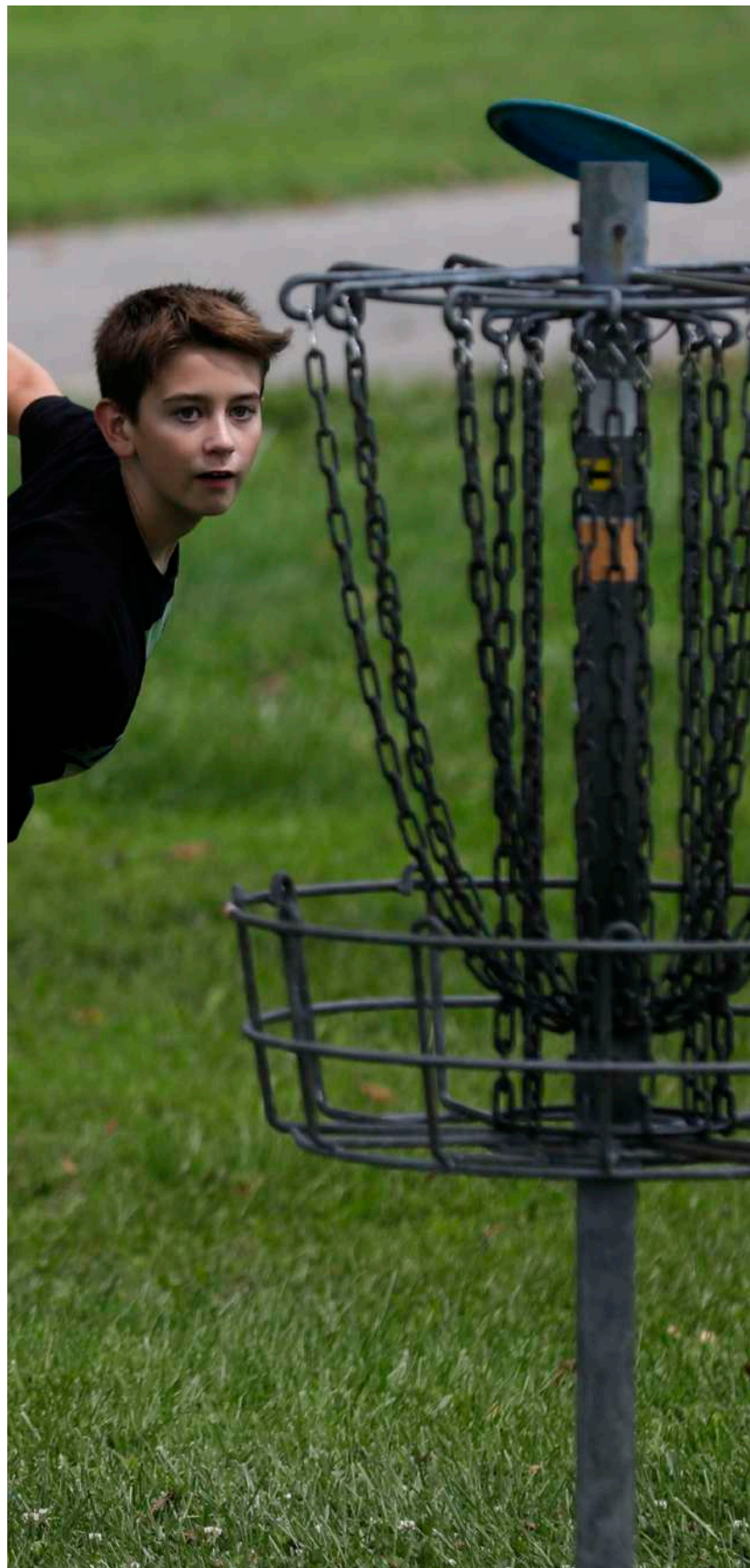
Meadowbrook is Lexington's only short course, featuring holes ranging in length from 87 to 270 yards. This course is ideal for both seasoned golfers and those hitting the links for the first time.

TATES CREEK GOLF COURSE

1400 Gainesway Drive | [272-3428](tel:272-3428)

18 Hole | Par 72 | 6,260 yards

This property is located on 125 acres in the heart of Gainesway subdivision. The facility includes an aquatic center, a large banquet room, a short game practice area, golf shop, and snack bar.



Disc Golf

Also known as frisbee golf, disc golf was invented in the early 1900's when Ronald Gibson and some school friends in Bladworth, Saskatchewan, Canada threw some tin lids into four-foot wide circles drawn in the sand. They called it Tin Lid Golf. The sport was resurrected in the 1970's as disc golf.

Disc golf as we know it today involves throwing a disc at a target while using rules similar to golf. Players start at a designated tee area, throw their disc toward a target and continue from the landing position until their disc has reached the target. The goal is to use the least amount of throws by the end of the game.

We offer three 18-hole disc golf courses – Shillito, Veterans and Jacobson Parks. The Shillito Park course is a Mach 3 course with concrete tee pads and alternate pin placements. There are elevation changes with lots of trees. Hole #1 is just to the right of the pool entrance. Veterans Park course was built entirely by volunteers. Like Shillito, there are elevation changes with plenty of trees. Most of the holes are in the woods. Jacobson is 7,050 feet long and features a rolling topography and has a lot of variety. The front nine is wooded, with three holes in a large pine forest. The back nine is open with stands of mature trees. A nine-hole course is located at River Hill Park, 3800 Crosby Drive. This course features several different elevation changes and plenty of trees. This is a great course to learn how to play and practice your game.

Events

PUMPKIN PATCH CLASSIC

Tates Creek Golf Course

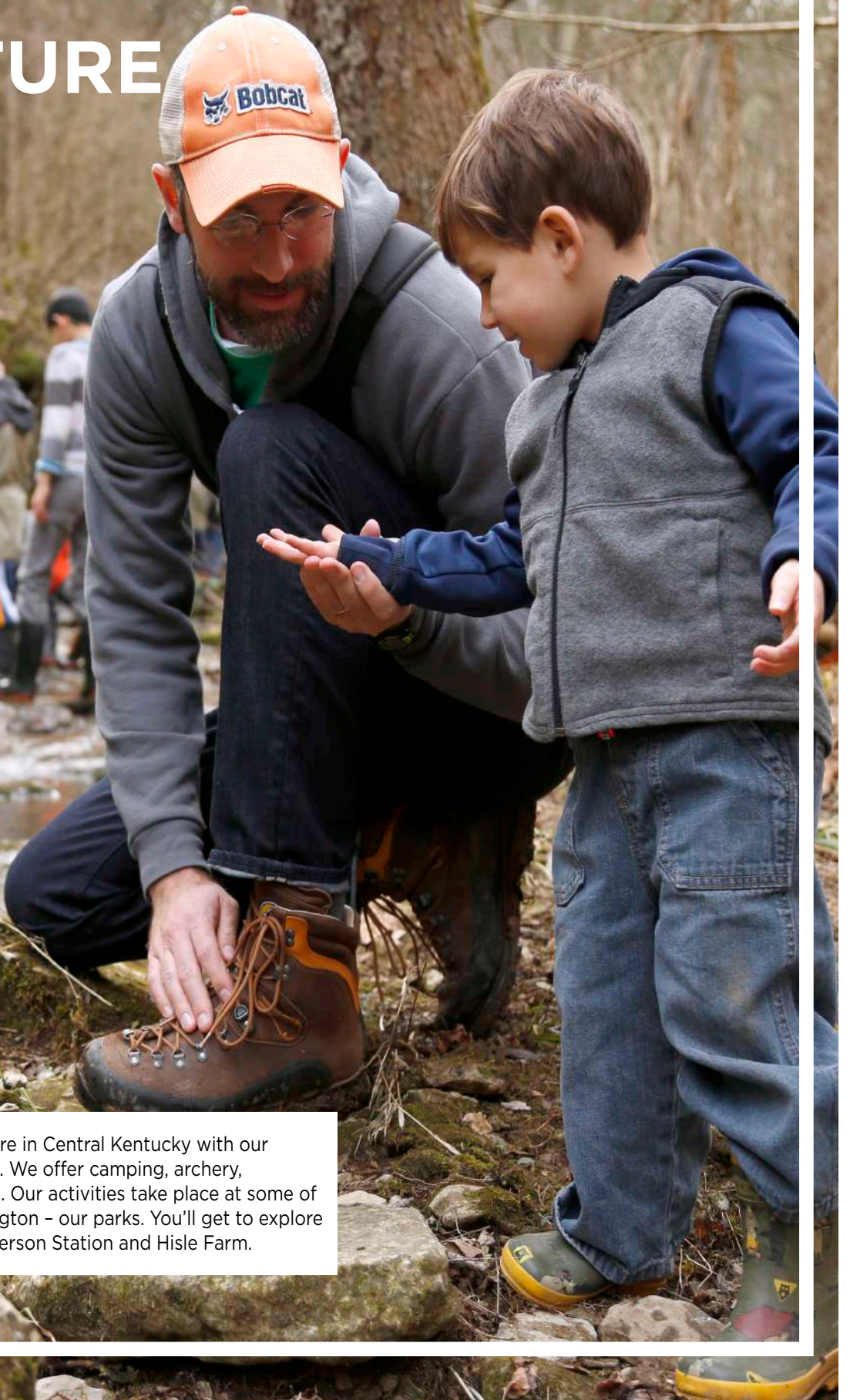
Sunday, Oct. 6

\$65 per player or \$130 per team (2 players)

Register online at playgolflex.com.

This 18-hole tournament is open to two-person teams and will be played in a scramble format. Golfers of all ages and skill levels are eligible to participate. Awards and prizes will be provided for overall first through fifth place, longest drive, closest to the hole, most accurate drive, longest putt, and best dressed.

ADVENTURE



Enjoy an outdoor adventure right here in Central Kentucky with our Adventure and Equestrian Programs. We offer camping, archery, horseback riding, and so much more. Our activities take place at some of the most beautiful locations in Lexington – our parks. You'll get to explore McConnell Springs, Raven Run, Masterson Station and Hisle Farm.

EQUESTRIAN

The Masterson Station Park Equestrian Program is a riding program offered through Lexington Parks and Recreation. Participants will learn the basics of riding in a safe and fun atmosphere. We're proud to have a healthy group of our school horses available and happy to offer lessons year-round with the benefit of our indoor riding arena. Classes offered include beginner level for ages 10 and above. Riders will need to provide their own horseback-riding approved helmets for the program.

SPRING HORSEMANSHIP

Registration: Saturday, March 14 | McConnell Springs

Cost: \$125

Youth (ages 10 - 15): 1 p.m.

Adult (ages 16 & up): 2 p.m.

Session 1: April 6- May 28

Georgia Ockerman

[\(859\) 253-0328](tel:(859)253-0328)

gockerma@lexingtonky.gov

3051 Leestown Road

Please arrive early to fill out the paperwork, including a waiver. If your child has never participated in a Parks & Recreation program, you will need to bring proof of age. Children must be 10 years old on the first day of the riding session selection. A lottery system is utilized for registration. The information on scheduling for each session will be available online before the registration dates, as well as at McConnell Springs the morning of registration. Rider's names will be drawn and individuals may choose from classes that are available at that time. Every effort will be made to accommodate everyone but please know that there are limited slots available.

ADVENTURE PROGRAMS

Enjoy an adventure right here in Central Kentucky with our Adventure Programs. We offer camping, archery and outdoor skills classes. If you're interested in getting a group together for any of these programs, please contact Kenneth Black at [225-4073](tel:225-4073) or kblack@lexingtonky.gov. Programs can be requested for private groups that have the minimum number of participants.

OUTDOOR SKILLS

For those looking to expand or build upon their knowledge and skills, we offer one-hour outdoor skills classes at McConnell Springs. Learn about knot tying and rope work, fire building, campsite preparation and setup, hiking, backpacking, paddling, and orienteering.

SUNRISE ARCHERY

Wake up to a beautiful Lexington morning with our Sunrise Archery program. Learn the skills necessary to begin and practice a new hobby safely or brush up on your previous skills. Basic shooting equipment information and ample opportunities to practice and apply skills will be provided at Hisle Farm Park. Please bring your own equipment.

OVERNIGHT CAMPING

Provides participants with new skills to make future trips safer and more enjoyable, teaching how to minimize environmental impact, and providing a unique view of Raven Run at night. Have questions about gear? Bring it with you and our staff can provide a better understanding of its use, functions, and applications for future utilization. Program is available upon request.

ADVENTURE CAMP SPRING BREAK

Spend your spring break learning practical outdoor skills in this exciting, 3-day long program! Experience everything Lexington's best parks have to offer and how you can learn essential tools for outdoor endurance.

ADVENTURE PROGRAMS

SUNRISE ARCHERY

Sept. 28 | Oct. 19 | April 18

10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Hisle Park

Spend your morning in beautiful Hisle Park in our Sunrise Archery program. Participants will have the chance to learn skills and techniques while enjoying a new hobby.

EDIBLE PLANTS

Sept. 7, Oct. 5, March 7 | 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

McConnell Springs

Have you ever looked at a berry and wondered "Is it poisonous or delicious?" In this class, you'll learn how to spot and correctly identify a variety of edible plants.

OUTDOOR SKILLS

Sept. 14, Nov. 9, Dec. 14, Jan. 11,

Feb. 8, March 14, April 11

9 a.m. - 10 a.m. | McConnell Springs

In this program, you will learn valuable outdoor skills and tips from Lexington's own experts. Learn how to tie a knot, set up a campsite, or even start a fire from scratch with the guidance of our nature-tested instructors!

OVERNIGHT CAMPING

Program is available upon request
Raven Run

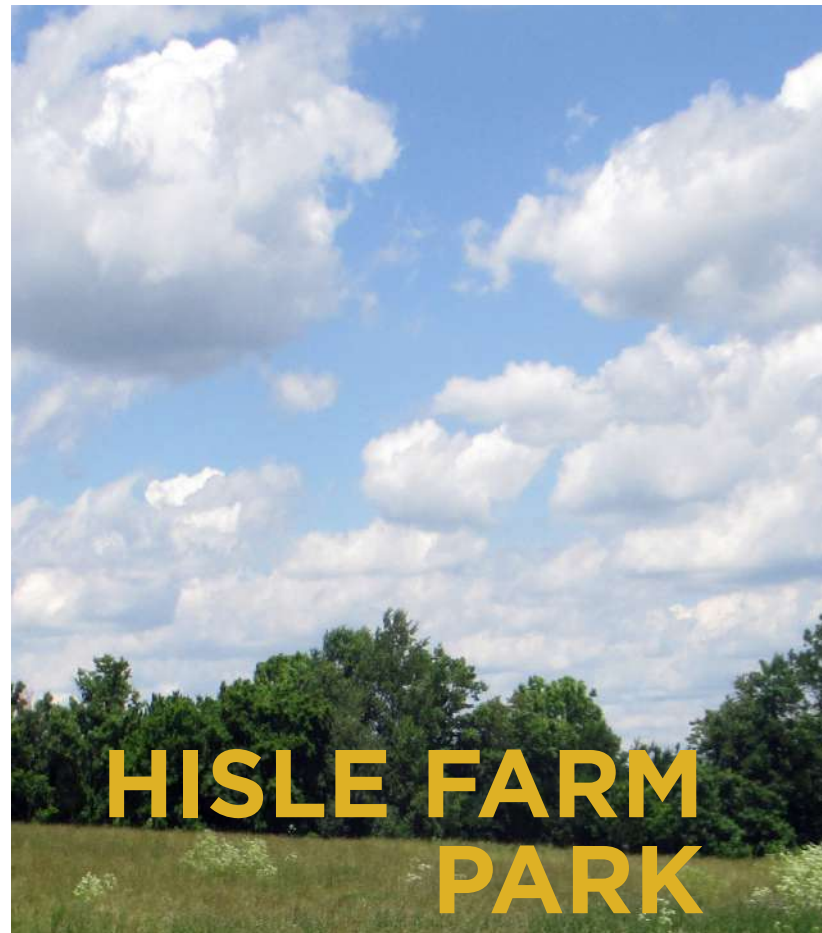
Escape the city lights for a night under the Kentucky stars. Our overnight camping experience is perfect for those needing to get away and spend a night in nature (while picking up some valuable outdoor skills along the way).

ADVENTURE CAMP SPRING BREAK

April 1 - 3 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

\$30 per participant

Why spend your spring break inside when you could be exploring the beautiful parks of Lexington? Our 3-day Adventure Camp offers the opportunity to learn outdoor skills while making sure this break is one for the books!



Hisle Farm Park is approximately 280 acres of rolling pasture land located five miles northeast of downtown Lexington. Hisle Farm features a ten-lane target archery range with two permanent targets. Archers are welcome to bring their commercially purchased archery targets to use on one of the other eight shooting lanes.

There is also a shared use trail. The trail system features two trails, 1-mile and 2.5-miles in length, and is open to horse riders and hikers. Pets must be leashed. Bicycles are not permitted.

Hisle Farm Park is also a great place for any level of birder. The open fields provide an excellent opportunity to see some of the nearly 100 species of birds identified at the park in action. Some of these species have made the park their home, while others can be seen passing through. Birding has many health benefits as well, including physical exercise through walking, soaking up Vitamin D from the sun, and strengthening your brain's cognitive skills. It is an activity that can be done with your family and friends or by yourself.

For more information visit lexingtonky.gov/parks.



RAVEN RUN

Raven Run is a unique, 734-acre nature sanctuary located in southeastern Fayette County, dedicated to preserving the natural beauty of the Kentucky River Palisades Region and remnants of early Kentucky history. Our mission is to protect the rich, natural diversity of the sanctuary while providing quality recreational and educational opportunities to our visitors. Pets are not permitted. Some events are weather dependent. Please call the park ahead of your arrival.

Jennifer Sánchez

jsanchez@lexingtonky.gov

3885 Raven Run Way | (859) 272-6105

Open at 9 a.m. daily

Closing hours vary by season

November 28: Closed for Thanksgiving

December 24 - 26: Closed for Christmas

All programs are free to the public.

Please call to register.

VOLUNTEER DAY

Sept. 7, Oct. 5, Nov. 2, Dec. 7, Jan. 4, Feb. 1, March 7, April 4 | 10 a.m.

Clear brush, pick-up trash, mulch trails, or assist with any other work to help out our Sanctuary!

EVENING WITH THE EXPERTS

6:30 p.m.

Sept. 17, "Monarchs" | Oct. 15, "Kids in the Woods" | Nov. 19, "Winter Tree Identification" | Dec. 17, "Christmas Bird Count" | Jan. 21, "Safari Spectacular" | Feb. 18, "Black History Month" | March 17, "A Sustainable House" | April 21, "Be a Citizen Scientist"

Work alongside experts as you learn about local nature and pick up valuable skills along the way.

BUTTERFLIES OF RAVEN RUN

Sept. 7 | 1 p.m.

Learn about the life cycle and identification of common butterflies at Raven Run.

LANTERN-LIT HISTORY

Sept. 14 | 8 p.m.

Get in the Halloween spirit with a lantern-lit walk at Raven Run! Limit: 30 participants, ages 12 and up.

SCOUT SKILLS AT RAVEN RUN

Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 21, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 21, April 18 | 10 a.m.

Learn and benefit from traditional scout skills. This program is designed for boys and girls ages 10 and over.

LITTLE EXPLORERS

Sept. 28: "Colorful Leaves", Oct. 26: "Fossils", Nov. 30: "Detectives", Dec. 28: "Winter Wildlife Treats" | 10 a.m.

Our programs are designed for elementary-aged visitors. Parents or guardians are required to stay with participants.

STARGAZING

Sept. 28, 7:30 p.m. | Oct. 26, 7 p.m. | March 21, 8 p.m. | April 18, 8:30 p.m.

View the night sky at Raven Run. Visitors are welcome to bring their own telescopes, but please bring a flashlight or headlamp.

THE RAVEN 10K AND THE ROBIN 5K TRAIL RUN

Oct. 6 | 10 a.m.

Proceeds from the race will go towards educational initiatives and a transportation scholarship. No pets allowed.

FALL WILDFLOWERS

Oct. 12 | 1 p.m.

See the beautiful meadows of Raven Run. Learn to identify dozens of species and how to plant them in your own garden.

BLUEGRASS HISTORY

Nov. 9 | 1 p.m.

Learn about the history surrounding Raven Run Sanctuary from our experienced staff.

WINTER BIRDING

Dec. 14 | 10 a.m.

Our morning bird walk offers visitors the opportunity to see and hear dozens of our year-round resident bird species.

FIRST HIKE OF THE NEW YEAR

Jan. 1 | 1 p.m.

Start the New Year off right by joining us at Raven Run for the first hike of the year.

OWL PROWL

Jan. 25, Feb. 1 | 6 p.m.

Join us as we hike around the park looking for nighttime birds. Bring binoculars and a flashlight or headlamp.

WOODCOCK WATCH

March 7, 6 p.m. | March 20, 7 p.m.

Join us at Raven Run as we search for the woodcock on a 1 - 1 ½ hour hike around the park.

SALAMANDER SEARCH

Feb. 8 & 15 | 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m.

Join us as we walk Raven Run creek in search of the stream side salamander.

EARTH HOUR QUIET HOUR

March 28 | 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Celebrate Earth Hour by taking a peaceful sunset walk.

SPRING BREAK SERIES

March 30: "Wonderful Wildlife" 10 a.m.

- 12 p.m. | March 31: "Macro Madness"

1 p.m. - 3 p.m. | April 1: "Birds, Birds, Birds" 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. | April 2: "Nature Notes" 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. | April 3: "Creek Creatures" 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Our Spring Break Series is designed for adventurers K-5th grade.

EARTH MONTH VOLUNTEERS

April 4 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Volunteer and give back to Earth for Earth Month. Raven Run will provide tools, training, snacks, and drinks!

CITIZEN SCIENCE FOR KIDS

April 4 | 11 a.m.

Learn how to become an at-home scientist in this hands-on environmental program.

THE GREAT RAVEN RUN GARLIC MUSTARD REMOVAL

April 19 | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Come out to help us remove garlic mustard from areas easily accessed around the park.

EARTH MONTH BIOBLITZ!

April 25 | 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Join park staff on a hike to record as many species as possible in a 2-hour span!

MCCONNELL SPRINGS

McConnell Springs is a 26-acre natural area amidst industrial surroundings near downtown Lexington, Kentucky. It is home to the Kentucky American Water Education Center, which contains displays and exhibits that showcase the natural features of the park. Two miles of trails loop around the sinking springs, vegetation, stone fences, and vestiges of historical buildings. McConnell Springs boasts more than 130 species of plants and numerous species of urban wildlife that reside at or visit the park. **Please call to register.**

BUTTERFLIES, BEES, HUMMINGBIRDS, AND MORE GARDENING TO ATTRACT POLLINATORS

April 11 | 11 a.m.

Join Linda Porter, a professional educator and experienced native plant gardener, for a morning full of tips and techniques to attract pollinators to your garden.

TRAIL BLAZERS

Oct. 27 | 3 p.m.

Join the staff at McConnell Springs as we look for seasonal changes and signs for wildlife in the park. This event is open to all ages.

OWL PROWL

Nov. 16 | 7 p.m.

Join Dr. Tom Sproat from 'Critters in the Classroom' for an experience that includes live owls followed by a hike. The program is sponsored by the Friends of McConnell Springs.

BEGINNERS DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Jan. 6, Feb. 3, March 2, April 6 | 11 a.m.

Program for beginners. Covers shutter speed, ISO, aperture, and effects.

AUTHOR SERIES

March 10, April 14 | 6 p.m.

Enjoy complimentary refreshments, provided by the Friends of McConnell Springs, while local writers discuss their work and Lexington literature.

CAMP FIRE SOCIAL AND CANDLE LIGHT HIKE

Oct. 5, 26 | 6 p.m.

Nov. 2, 30 | 5 p.m.

Join the staff as we gather around the camp fire and make s'mores before enjoying a guided candle light hike through the park.

SPRING BREAK AT MCCONNELL SPRINGS

March 31 | 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Birds of Prey

Learn about different birds of prey and

how they survive. Intended for K-5th grade.

April 2 | 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Springs and Wetlands

Learn about the water at McConnell Springs and the animals that live in our wetland and the springs. Intended for K-5th grade. Please call the park to register and be prepared to be in or around water.

WOODCARVING

Fairy House | Nov. 2 | 9:30 a.m.

Cost: \$10 (Includes all materials, tools, and instructions)

Holiday Ornament | Dec. 7 | 9:30 a.m.

Cost: \$10 (Includes all materials, tools, and instructions)

Learn how to craft your very own Fairy House or Holiday Ornament during this class led by the Lexington Wood Carvers Guild. Please call to register.

HISTORY TO CHEW ON

Sept. 10 | 6 p.m.

"Solomon Lee Van Meter Jr., Inventor of the Backpack Parachute"

Oct. 8 | 6 p.m.

"The History of Hemp in Kentucky"

Learn about the history that has shaped our community from a panel of local historians authors. Refreshments are provided, but attendees are encouraged to bring their own dinner.

STORY WALK

Sept. 11, Oct. 9 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Each walk will have pages from nature themed childrens books posted around our paved trail. This is a self-guided, stroller friendly walk.

TINY TOT AND JUNIOR NATURALIST PROGRAM

Our programs are designed for

Pre-K-5th grade children who are ready to learn about nature, create crafts, and explore the park. Each program offers up something new to learn, so feel free to register for more than one program.

Tiny Tot Naturalist | 11 a.m. | Pre-K Only

Sept. 18: Talkin' Trees

Nov. 13: Turkey Trot

Dec. 18: Winter Wildlife

Jan. 15: Nature Detectives

Feb. 12: Great Backyard Bird

Count

March 18: Rocks and Fossils

April 15: Spring into Life!

Junior Naturalist | 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

K-5th Grade

Sept. 21: Talkin' Trees

Nov. 16: Turkey Trot

Dec. 21: Winter Wildlife

Jan. 18: Nature Detectives

Feb. 15: Great Backyard Bird Count

March 21: Rocks and Fossils

April 18: Spring into Life!

WEEKEND WORKOUT | 10 a.m.

Sept. 28, Oct. 26, Nov. 23, Dec. 28, Jan. 25, Feb. 22, March 28, April 25

Join us for this opportunity to help clean our beautiful park and maintain the trails. All tools are provided and attendees should arrive in comfortable outdoor attire.

NEW YEAR'S DAY HIKE

Jan. 1 | 2 p.m.

Start off your new year right by joining us for the first hike of year!

For the most up to date information visit lexingtonky.gov/parks.

Steven Rogers | srogers@lexingtonky.gov
416 Rebmann Lane
(859) 225-4073

Monday - Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.

COMMUNITY CENTERS

Each center will post a calendar of activities each month at www.lexingtonky.gov/community-center. They will consist of wellness programs, aerobics, Zumba, karate, arts & crafts, homework help clubs and much more for both youth and adults. When Fayette County Schools are canceled or out for Christmas, Spring break, snow days and all national holidays contact the centers directly for their individual schedules.

CASTLEWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER

201 Castlewood Drive
Lexington, KY 40505
[\(859\) 254-2470](tel:(859)254-2470)
Tyrone Groves | tgroves@lexingtonky.gov
Opens: September 16
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 3:30 - 9 p.m., Friday, 3:30 - 7 p.m.

DUNBAR COMMUNITY CENTER

545 North Upper Street
Lexington, KY 40508
[\(859\) 288-2941](tel:(859)288-2941)
Helen Smith | hsmith@lexingtonky.gov
Opens: September 16
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 3:30 - 9 p.m.,
Friday, 3:30 - 7 p.m.,
Weight Room: Saturday, 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

KENWICK COMMUNITY CENTER

313 Owsley Avenue
Lexington, KY 40502
[\(859\) 266-6405](tel:(859)266-6405)
Stephanie Bowling | sbowling@lexingtonky.gov
Opens: September 9
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 3:30 - 9 p.m.,
Friday, 3:30 - 7 p.m.

WILLIAM WELLS BROWN COMMUNITY CENTER

548 East Sixth Street
Lexington, KY 40508
[\(859\) 389-6678](tel:(859)389-6678)
Jill Chenault-Wilson | jwilson@lexingtonky.gov
Hours: Monday - Friday, 5 - 9 p.m.,
Saturday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Opens September 9
When there is no school at the Promise Academy at William Wells Brown, the center will be closed.

EXTENDED SCHOOL PROGRAMS

The Extended School Program is a fully-licensed after-school program that offers affordable, high-quality childcare for elementary school students. ESP is currently offered at the following elementary schools: Athens-Chilesburg, Garrett Morgan, Julius Marks, Mary Todd, Maxwell, The Academy at Millcreek, Northern, Stonewall and Yates.

Each ESP site is managed by a site coordinator and maintains a staff-to-student ratio of no more than 1:15. All site personnel receive in-service training and all staff must receive required health tests and pass criminal background checks.

Staff at each site plan daily activities for students and coordinate curriculum to meet the Kentucky All Star Standards. Some of the many activities offered through ESP include homework assistance, games, arts and crafts, reading, nature projects, and more.

The Extended School Program (ESP) and the Recreation Enrichment and Learning Program (REAL) are both school programs that offer affordable, high-quality childcare. Admission to both is on a first-come, first-serve basis. Each year, students must reapply to be accepted into the programs. A limited number of ESP scholarships are available per site. Fill out and return the income eligibility form on Parks policies page to apply for a scholarship. Both the ESP and the REAL program are partnerships between the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government and the Fayette County Public School system.

Lee Farar Prater | [\(859\) 288-2912](tel:(859)288-2912) | lprater@lexingtonky.gov

RECREATION ENRICHMENT AND LEARNING PROGRAM

The Recreation Enrichment and Learning Program is a before and after-school program for middle-school students. The program is currently offered at the following middle schools: Edith J. Hayes and Jessie Clark.

Like ESP, the REAL program is affordable, maintains a low staff-to-student ratio and offers homework assistance, computer access and positive socialization time. REAL program staff must receive training, required health tests, and a criminal background check.

THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

Therapeutic Recreation programs provide opportunities for persons with disabilities to enjoy activities that use recreation and leisure in the community setting. Our programs are designed to enhance the overall well-being of persons with disabilities by improving or maintaining physical, cognitive, social, emotional and spiritual functioning in order to facilitate full participation in life. Services are provided or directly supervised by a Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS) and qualified staff. Parents/Caregivers may be asked to assist.

Transportation to and from programs and events is the responsibility of the participant/parents/caregivers.

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asnowden@lexingtonky.gov
Brent Claiborne | [\(859\) 288-2908](tel:(859)288-2908)
bclaiborne@lexingtonky.gov
Micah Hess, CTRS | [\(859\) 288-2926](tel:(859)288-2926)
mhess@lexingtonky.gov

ADULT FITNESS

Tuesdays and Thursdays
Oct. 1 - Dec. 5 (No class Nov. 26, 28)
Jan. 21 - April 30
12:30-2:30 p.m.
Dunbar Community Center
Ages: 18 and over
Cost: \$125/\$100 scholarship rate

Stay healthy and active through a variety of fitness activities and sports. Limited transportation home will be provided.

BOWLING

Saturdays: Aug. 31 - Oct. 12 and
Feb. 29 - April 18
1 - 3 p.m.
Southland Bowling Lanes
Cost: \$30 registration plus
\$6 per week
Ages: 10 and over

Come and enjoy a fun, competitive atmosphere of bowling with friends! Ramps are available.

Bowling Banquet | April 25

Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Tates Creek Recreation Center
Cost: \$12

HORSEMANSHIP

Basic Horsemanship
Aug. 18 - Oct. 4 and April 8 - 29
Wed. | 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Wed. | 4:45 - 5:45 p.m.
Fri. | 2 - 3 p.m.
Fri. | 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
Masterson Station Park Tack Barn
Cost: \$125

Mini Horsemanship Class

Fridays, Feb. 14 - March 6 | 5 - 6 p.m.
Cost: \$75 | Ages: 10 and over
Masterson Station Indoor Arena

Open to overflow riders in our fall program. Staff and volunteers work one-on-one with participants. Ramp available. Riders must supply their own approved ASTM-SEI riding helmets. Parents/Caregivers may be needed to assist.

ADAPTIVE AQUATICS

Mondays, Sept. 9 - Oct. 28 and March 2 - April 27 (No Class March 30)
Beaumont YMCA
3251 Beaumont Centre Circle
Cost: \$70/\$60 scholarship rate
Ages: 4 & over
Session 1: 2:45 - 3:15 p.m.
Session 2: 3:20 - 3:50 p.m.
Session 3: 3:55 - 4:25 p.m.
Select first, second, and third session preference on registration form. Learn basic water skills/safety through group and one-on-one instruction. Applicable participants must wear swim diapers/plastic pants, Parents/Caregivers may be required to assist in the water and should come prepared with swim attire.

ADAPTIVE KAYAKING

Aug. 22, Sept. 5, Oct. 19
5:30 - 7 p.m.
Jacobson Park
Cost: \$5 per person

Our adaptive kayaking program is designed for individuals with physical disabilities. Family members and friends are welcome to participate. Must RSVP, complete waivers, required paperwork, and pass Essential Eligibility Criteria established by the American Canoe Association.

DRAMA GROUP

Wednesdays, Oct. 9 - Nov. 20
6 - 7:30 p.m. | Location TBA
Cost: \$50/\$40 scholarship rate
Ages: 13 and over

Martha Meehan instructs this creatively dramatic and musical experience. Explore and showcase your creative talents.

MIRACLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

Tuesdays, Oct. & April
11 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Shiloto Park
Miracle League Baseball Field
Ages: 18 & over

SING WITH ME! Therapeutic Recreation Choir

Fridays, Oct. 11 - Nov. 22, Jan. 24 - March 13
11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
Artworks at the Carver School
Cost: \$50/\$40 scholarship rate
Ages: 18 and over

KEENELAND DAY TRIP

Oct. 17, April 16 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Meet at Dunbar Community Center
Cost: FREE entry | Bring money for food, drinks, misc. Must RSVP.
Ages: 18 and over

FALL DANCE/COSTUME PARTY

Oct. 25 | 6 - 9 p.m.
Tates Creek Recreation Center
Cost: \$10 | Ages: 13 and over

Enjoy an evening of dancing, snacks, costumes and prizes. Must RSVP.

HOLIDAY DANCE

Dec. 14 | 5 - 9 p.m.
Tates Creek Recreation Center
Cost: \$10 | Ages: 13 and over
Enjoy an evening of dancing and cookie and gingerbread house decorating!
Must RSVP.

ARCHERY

Wednesdays, Jan. 22 - March 11
10 - 11:30 a.m.
Artworks at the Carver School
Cost: \$60/\$50 scholarship rate
Ages: 18 and over

Learn basic archery safety and skills in this certified instructor-led class. Equipment provided (adaptive equipment available).

COOKING

Wednesdays, Feb. 19 - March 25
5 - 6:15 p.m. or 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.
Lexington Senior Center
Cost: \$40 class fee/\$30 scholarship rate + \$40 cash for groceries

Ages: 13 and over

Learn to create delicious meals from healthy recipes.

ZUMBA

Fridays, March 20 - April 24 | 10 - 11 a.m.
Dunbar Community Center
Cost: \$50/\$40 scholarship rate
Ages: 18 and over

This dance-fitness class revolution is fun, effective and made for everyone!

SOCIAL ARTWORKING

Aug. 24, Sept. 21, Nov. 2 | Spring Dates TBA
Artworks at the Carver School | 10 - 11:30 a.m.
Cost: \$5 per class | Ages: 10 and over

Join us for canvas painting using a variety of art techniques. Artwork will be showcased in Nov./Dec. at the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center! A reception will take place Nov. 16 from 10 - 11 a.m.

DAY TRIP EXCURSIONS

Nov. 26, Dec. 10, Jan. 27, Feb. and March, TBA
Time and Location: TBA
Cost: TBD per outing | Ages: 18 and over

RSVP a minimum of one week prior to excursion date. Limited transportation.

GROUP PIANO LESSONS

Dates: Fridays, Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 & Jan. 24 - March 13
Time: 10 - 11 a.m. | Artworks at the Carver School
Ages: 18 & Over
Cost \$50 / \$40 scholarship rate

Learn basic piano skills with friends. Class is limited to 8 students.

ADAPTIVE WHEELCHAIR SPORTS

If interested in Adaptive Sports contact Anessa at [\(859\) 288-2928](tel:8592882928) or asnowden@lexingtonky.gov.



DOG PARKS

Lexington is home to six great dog parks! Get out and play with your four-legged friend at any of the locations listed below.

COLDSTREAM PARK

1850 Piscano Drive

Approximately 12 acres divided into two paddocks with one water station. One paddock is designated for small dogs.

JACOBSON PARK

4001 Athens-Boonesboro Road

Approximately eight acres with two paddocks, a tree line, benches and a water station. One paddock is designated for small dogs.

PLEASANT RIDGE LOT

1350 Pleasant Ridge Park

Approximately 0.5 acres, this dog lot has water available at the shelter/restroom building adjacent to the parking lot.

PHOENIX LOT

100 E. Main Street

Approximately 0.1 acres. The urban dog lot has been converted to a full gravel surface.

MASTERSON STATION PARK



3051 Leestown Road

Approximately 16 acres with two paddocks. One paddock has tree cover and a doggie water fountain with benches, while the second paddock is open.

WELLINGTON PARK



565 Wellington Way

Approximately six acres with two paddocks and a water station near the parking lot.

SKATE PARKS

Lexington's skateparks allow for skaters to practice in a modern and safe environment. Lexington Parks and Recreation strongly recommends that safety equipment be used at all times and patrons not use facilities in inclement weather. All facilities are free and open to the public. All skate parks will close each evening at dark.

BERRY HILL SKATE PARK

3489 Buckhorn Drive

At 18,000 square feet, Berry Hill is Lexington's largest skate-park and features obstacles that will appeal to advanced skateboarders and bikers. Amenities include a flow bowl, snake run, street section, stairs and rails. Built by Dreamland Skateparks, LLC, one craftsman, a Lexington native incorporated Bluegrass-themed elements into the design. Some of the concrete in the skate-park was stamped with horseshoes and stylized to mimic limestone, and one of the metal rails features galloping thoroughbreds.

KIRKLEVINGTON SKATE SPOT

369 Redding Road

Kirklevington Skate spot is 3,600 square feet and features a variety of "street" elements for skateboarders instead of ramps and other typical obstacles. This skate park was designed to offer obstacles and components that are similar to those found in downtown and other urban settings. This facility includes skate-able benches, jersey barrier, grinding rail, concrete boxes and a variety of other obstacles for beginners and more advanced skaters.

VALLEY PARK SKATE SPOT

2077 Cambridge Drive

Valley Park Skate Spot is Lexington's newest skating facility. It is 6,200 square feet and has a variety of angled banks, ledges, rails and hump ramps more similar to a sculpture garden than a skate-park.

WOODLAND SKATE PARK

600 East High Street

This 12,000 square foot facility features a variety of ramps, platforms, bowls and pipes. It offers a great skating experience for beginners while at the same time it challenges the most experienced skaters. This is a skate park only - not a bike park.

TRAILS

| PARK | MILES | TRAIL INFORMATION |
|-------------------------------|-------|---|
| Addison Park | 0.4 | Walking trail off Pine Meadows Dr./Garrison Ave. |
| Arboretum Trail | 2.0 | Walking trail off Alumni Dr. No bikes allowed. |
| Armstrong Mill | 0.3 | Walking trail connecting Wilson Downing Rd. to Gainesway Park. |
| Beaumont Preserve | 0.9 | Walking trail spur off Cardinal Run Park Trail; Access behind Rosa Parks Elementary School; Naturalized area off Allegheny Way. |
| Belleau Woods Park | 0.4 | Walking trail off Forest Green Dr. |
| Berry Hill Park | 0.5 | Paved trail looping around park; Access from Buckhorn Dr. |
| Brighton Rail Trail | 1.8 | Shared use trail off Man O War Blvd. connecting to Pleasant Ridge Park and Polo Club Blvd. |
| Cardinal Run South Park | 1.2 | Shared use trail off Parkers Mill Rd. |
| Citation Village Trail | 0.2 | Shared use trail off Robinson Way. |
| Coldstream Park | 1.2 | Shared use trail spur off Legacy Trail located off Piscano Dr. |
| Constitution Park | 0.9 | Walking trail off Old Paris Pike/Rookwood. |
| Cross Keys Park | 0.4 | Paved trail off Cross Keys Rd. |
| Day Treatment Center Trail | 0.6 | Walking trail off Red Mile Place; Connects to Addison Park. |
| Dogwood Trace Park | 0.6 | Walking trail off Dogwood Trace Blvd. |
| Douglass Park | 0.5 | Paved path off Georgetown Rd. |
| Elizabeth Street Park | 0.3 | Path off Elizabeth Street. |
| Gainesway Park | 0.6 | Walking trail off Appian Way. |
| Gardenside Park | 0.1 | Walking trail off Yorktown Dr. |
| Garden Springs Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off Garden Springs Dr. |
| Gleneagles Greenway | 0.7 | Unpaved path off Polo Club Blvd. in greenway with native planting. |
| Gleneagles Trail | 0.3 | Shared use trail spur off Brighton Rail Trail; Access off Polo Club Blvd. or Pleasant Ridge Park. |
| Hamburg Trail | 0.3 | Shared use trail off Sir Barton Way near Winchester Rd. |
| Harrods Hill Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off Ridgeway Rd. |
| Hartland Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off Kenesaw Rd. |
| Higbee Mill Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off corner of Clays Mill Rd. and Old Higbee Mill Rd. |
| Highlands Park | 0.6 | Walking trail off Mark Ave. |
| Hisle Farm Park | 3.5 | Shared equestrian and hiking trail in park off Briar Hill Rd. No bikes allowed. |
| Idle Hour Park | 0.7 | Walking trail accessible from Life Lane and St. Ann Dr. |
| Johnson Heights | 0.4 | Walking trail off Johnsdale Dr. |
| Kirklevington Park | 0.9 | Shared use trail off Redding Rd./Spangler Dr. |
| Lakeview Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off Lakeshore Dr. |
| Lansdowne-Merrick Park | 1.4 | Shared use trail off Pepperhill Rd. beside Julius Marks Elementary. |
| Legacy Trail | 8.0 | Shared use trail from Iron Works Pike to YMCA on W. Loudon Ave; Access/parking at trailhead across from Horse Park Campground; Coldstream Park and North YMCA. |
| Liberty Park | 1.3 | Shared use trail off Starshoot Pkwy. |
| Martin Luther King Park | 1.2 | Walking trail off McCullough Dr. |
| Mary Todd Park | 0.3 | Walking trail off Rodgers Rd. |
| Masterson Hills Park | 0.7 | Walking trail off Jacquelyn Ln. |
| Masterson Station Park | 3.1 | 2.6 perimeter grass path (front to back of park) and 0.5 mile connecting shared use trail to Ruffian Way. 0.5 mile walking trail; 1.5 mile unpaved path in naturalized area. Located at end of Rebmann Lane off Old Frankfort Pike. No bikes or pets. |
| McConnell Springs Park | 2.0 | Walking trail at end of Harvard Ln. off of E. Tiverton Way. |
| Meadowbrook Park | 0.3 | Walking trail off Larch Ln. |
| Meadowthorpe Park | 0.25 | Walking trail off Larch Ln. |
| Mount Tabor Park | 1.3 | Walking trail off Eureka Springs or at end of Elk Lake Dr. |
| Pine Meadows Park | 0.2 | Paved trail at end of Tazwell Dr. |
| Raven Run Nature Sanctuary | 10.0 | Hiking trails in naturalized area on Jacks Creek Pike. No bikes or pets. |
| River Hill Park | 0.5 | Walking trail and sidewalk. 1.5 mile shared use trail loop; Connects to 1.0 mile of Lafayette shared use trail running north/south through park |
| Shillito Park/Lafayette Trail | 2.5 | Trail access from all park entrances; W. Reynolds Rd. |
| South Elkhorn | 0.5 | Shared use trail off Newbury Way. |
| Southpoint Park | 0.5 | Walking trail off Graves Dr. |
| Spindletop Trail | 0.2 | Shared use trail spur off Legacy Trail to Spindletop Hall. |
| Squires Road Trail | 1.3 | Shared use trail from Summerhill Dr. to Squires Rd.; access at Berry Hill Park. |
| Stonewall Park | 0.6 | Paved and unpaved trail off Cornwall Dr. |
| Town Branch Trail | 1.9 | Shared use trail off Long Branch Ln. across from Masterson Station Park. |
| Trailwood Park | 0.2 | Paved connector from Trailwood Dr. to Town Branch Trail |
| Valley Park | 0.5 | Walking trail and path off Cambridge Dr. |
| Veterans Park | 1.6 | Shared use trail off Southpoint Dr. |
| Waverly Park | 0.7 | Walking trail off Southmoor Park. |
| Wellington Park | 1.3 | Walking trail off Wellington Way. |
| Wellington Park | 1.7 | Shared use trail along Keithshire Way/Reynolds Rd.; Connects to Shillito Park/Lafayette Trail. |
| West Hickman Trail | 0.4 | Shared use trail off Clearwater Trail. |
| Woodhill Park | 0.3 | Walking trail off Larkwood Dr. |

Lexington has many miles of trails which offer a great way to lead a healthier and more active lifestyle. Whether you enjoy hiking, walking, running or biking these trails allow individuals the opportunity to rejuvenate and maintain ones mind and body, all while having fun. Take a trip to one of our nature parks and enjoy bird-watching, stargazing or hiking with your family. Visit one of the trails located in your neighborhood and walk your dog, in-line skate with your children or ride a bike. We encourage you to get out and enjoy the beauty of your local parks and trail system.

A SHARED USE TRAIL is paved and designed for activities such as running and walking as well as higher speed activities like bicycling and skating. They are 10-12 feet wide.

A WALKING TRAIL is paved and is at least 8 feet wide. For everyone's safety, bicycling and skating at greater than a fast walking speed is not allowed on walking trails.

PATHS are narrower than 8 feet and may include sidewalks, gravel paths and grass paths.

HIKING TRAILS are generally single person width, natural surface and for pedestrians only. Hiking trails may range from easy (level grades and shorter distances) to difficult (steep grades and/or longer distances).

It is recommended that you select hiking trails appropriate for your level of physical ability.

PARK FACTS

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| Park Name | Address | Acres | Baseball / Softball | Basketball / Hardcourt | Community Center | Disc Golf | Dog Park / Dog Lot | In / Outdoor Exercise | Football / Soccer Field | Golf Course | Historic / Natural Feature | Neighborhood Building | Passive Open/Wooded Space | Paved Trail (miles) | Unpaved Trail (miles) | Picnic Area (tables and grills) | Playground | Restrooms | Shelter / Pavilion | Skatepark or Skate Spot | Swimming / Sprayground | Tennis / Pickleball | Volleyball |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Addison Park | 1150 Garrison Ave | 8.4 | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.4 | | | X | | X | | | | 3 |
| Armstrong Mill Pkwy. | 1301 Armstrong Mill Rd | 6.4 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.3 | | | | | | | | | |
| Artworks at The Carver School | 522 Patterson St | 1 | | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Athens Ballfield Complex | 5780 Athens-Boonesboro Rd | 14.99 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | |
| Beaumont Park | 2034 Williamsburg Dr | 9.3 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beaumont Preserve | 2020 Allegheny Way | 23.09 | | | | | | | | X | | X | 0.9 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bell Place | 545 Sayre Ave | 4.7 | | X | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belleau Woods Park | 3770 Forest Green Dr | 18.1 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.4 | X | X | | | 1 | | | | 2 |
| Berry Hill Park | 3489 Buckhorn Dr | 9.23 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 0.5 | | X | | | 1 | X | | | 2 |
| Brucetown Park | 770 Florida St | 0.3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Burley Park | 300 Burley Ave. | 0.33 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | X | | | | | | |
| Cardinal Run Park N | 2101 Parkers Mill Rd | 137.6 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cardinal Run Park S | 2000 Parkers Mill Rd | 54.6 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | 1.2 | | | X | X | | | | | |
| Castlewood Park | 201 Castlewood Dr | 32.4 | 3 | 1 | X | | | | | X | | X | | | | X | X | X | 1 | | X | | 3 |
| Charles Young Park | 215 Midland Ave | 3.6 | 1 | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | X | X | | | | | |
| Cheapside | 251 West Main St | 1 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | X | | | | |
| Clay's Spring Park | 200 Clinton Rd | 1.2 | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coldstream Park | 1850 Pisacano Dr. | 220 | | | | | X | | 1 | X | | X | | 1.2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Constitution Park | 1670 Old Paris Rd | 26 | 3 | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.9 | | X | | X | 2 | | | | 2 |
| Coolavin Park | 550 W. Sixth St | 19.2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Cross Keys Park | 1240 Cross Keys Rd | 10.9 | | | | | | | | X | | X | | 0.4 | | X | | | | | | | |
| Deer Haven Park | 1937 Deer Haven Ln | 23.93 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dixie Park | 1850 Eastland Pkwy | 8.6 | 1 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Dogwood Park | 2393 Dogwood Trace Blvd | 18.61 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.6 | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Donaldson Park | 9790 Bates Creek Rd | 0.6 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Douglass Park | 726 Georgetown St | 27.2 | 2 | 3 | | | | | | X | | | | 0.5 | | | | | | | X | | 2 |
| Dunbar Comm. Center | 545 North Upper St | 3.5 | | | X | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Duncan Park | 530 North Limestone St | 6 | 1 | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Eastland Park | 729 Roland Ave | 0.59 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ecton Park | 956 Turkey Foot Rd | 11.4 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | X | X | 1 | | | | 4 |
| Elizabeth Street Park | 1521 Elizabeth St | 3.3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.3 | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Elkhorn Park | 444 Cane Run Road | 4.6 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gainesway Park | 3460 Campus Way | 34.99 | 1 | | | | | | | X | | | | 0.6 | | | | | | | | | |
| Garden Springs Park | 2005 Dogwood Dr | 7.26 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.5 | | X | X | | 2 | | | | 2 |
| Gardenside Park | 1835 Yorktown Rd | 4.5 | 1 | | | | | | | X | | | | 0.1 | | X | X | | 1 | | | | 1 |
| Gratz Park | 250 West Third St | 2.1 | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Green Acres Park | 1560 LaSalle Rd | 6.4 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | X | | | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Harrods Hill Park | 3308 Ridgecane Rd | 12.57 | 1 | | | | | | 4 | | | | | 0.5 | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Hartland Park | 3701 Kenesaw Dr | 17.13 | | | | | | | | X | | X | | 0.5 | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Higbee Mill Park | 1421 Higbee Mill Rd | 8.06 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.5 | | | | | | | | | |
| Highlands Park | 1991 Mark Ave | 11.93 | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | | 0.6 | | X | X | | | | | | |
| Hill-N-Dale | 2351 Maplewood Dr | 3.7 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Hisle Farm Park (Archery Range) | 3655 Briar Hill Rd | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hisle Farm Park (Main Gate) | 3551 Briar Hill Rd | 279.92 | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | | |

PARK FACTS

| PARK NAME | ADDRESS | ACRES | BASEBALL / SOFTBALL | BASKETBALL / HARD COURT | COMMUNITY CENTER | DISC GOLF | DOG PARK / DOG LOT | IN / OUTDOOR EXERCISE | FOOTBALL / SOCCER FIELD | GOLF COURSE | HISTORIC / NATURAL FEATURE | NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDING | PASSIVE OPEN/WOODED SPACE | PAVED TRAIL (miles) | UNPAVED TRAIL (miles) | PICNIC AREA (tables and grills) | PLAYGROUND | RESTROOMS | SHELTER / PAVILION | SKATEPARK OR SKATE SPOT | SWIMMING / SPRAYGROUND | TENNIS / PICKLEBALL | VOLLEYBALL |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Harrods Hill Park | 3308 Ridgecane Rd | 12.57 | | 1 | | | | | 4 | | | | | 0.5 | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Hartland Park | 3701 Kenesaw Dr | 17.13 | | | | | | | | | X | | X | 0.5 | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Higbee Mill Park | 1421 Higbee Mill Rd | 8.06 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.5 | | | | | | | | | |
| Highlands Park | 1991 Mark Ave | 11.93 | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | | 0.6 | | X | X | | | | | | |
| Hill-N-Dale | 2351 Maplewood Dr | 3.7 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | 1 | | | | | |
| Hisle Farm Park (Archery Range) | 3655 Briar Hill Rd | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hisle Farm Park (Main Gate) | 3551 Briar Hill Rd | 279.92 | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Idlehour Park | 212 St Ann Dr | 23.8 | 3 | 1 | | | | X | | | | | | 0.7 | | | X | | 2 | | | | |
| Isaac Murphy Art Garden | 577 E. Third St. | 0.3 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jacobson Park | 4001 Athens-Boonesboro Rd. | 222.12 | | | | X | X | | 1 | | X | | X | | | X | X | X | 7 | | X | | 2 |
| Johnson Heights Park | 846 Johnsdale Dr. | 19.3 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 0.4 | | X | | 1 | | | | | |
| Kearney Hill Golf Links | 3403 Kearney Rd | 200 | | | | | | | | X | X | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kenawood Park | 612 Bryanwood Pkwy | 10.7 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | X | 1 | | | | |
| Kenwick Comm. Center | 313 Owsley Ave | 0.25 | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kenwick Park | 312 Owsley Ave. | 0.34 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Kirklevington Park | 396 Redding Rd | 32.2 | 2 | 1 | | | | X | 1 | | | | X | 0.9 | | X | X | X | 1 | X | | O/12 | 4 |
| Lakeside Golf Course | 3725 Richmond Rd | 124 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lakeview Park | 350 Lakeshore Dr | 15.7 | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.5 | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Lansdowne-Merrick Park | 3190 Montavesta Rd | 33.5 | 2 | 1 | | | | X | | | | | | 1.4 | | X | X | X | 2 | | | 2 | |
| Liberty Park | 2789 Liberty Rd. | 69 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 1.3 | | | | | | | | | |
| Lou Johnson Park | 190 Prall St | 1.5 | | 1 | | | | | | | | X | X | | | X | X | | 2 | | | | |
| Mapleleaf Forest Park | 3161 Mapleleaf Dr | 10.03 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Marlboro Park | 1870 Benton Pl | 9.3 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | X | X | | | | X | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Martin Luther King Park | 1625 McCullough Dr | 37.6 | 1 | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | X | X | 1.2 | | X | X | X | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Mary Todd Park | 525 Rogers Rd | 21.8 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | 0.3 | | X | X | X | 5 | | | | |
| Masterson Hills Park | 277 Lucille Dr | 12.4 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | 0.4 | | | X | | | | | | |
| Masterson Station Park | 3051 Leestown Rd | 659.75 | | | | | X | | # | | X | | X | 0.7 | 3 | X | X | X | 4 | | X | | |
| McConnell Springs | 416 Rebmann Ln | 25.51 | | | X | | | | | | X | | X | 3 | 2 | X | | X | | | | | |
| Meadowbrook Golf Course | 360 Wilson Downing | 27.41 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Meadowbrook Park | 372 Harvard Ln | 11.5 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 0.3 | | | X | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Meadowthorpe Park | 333 Larch Ln | 5.5 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | X | | 0.3 | | | X | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Model Airplane Facility | 4200 Hedger Ln | 8.69 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | 1 | | | | |
| Moondance Amphitheater | 1152 Monarch St | 1.56 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | |
| Mount Tabor Park | 550 Elk Lake Dr | 13.2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 5 | | | | | 1.3 | | | X | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Northeastern Park | 140 N, Eastern Ave | 0.65 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Oakwood Park | 1050 Briarwood Dr | 10.9 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Phoenix Park | 100 East Main St | 1 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Picadome | 469 Parkway Dr | 104.8 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pine Meadows Park | 1631 Tazwell Dr | 2.2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.2 | | | X | | | | | | |
| Pleasant Ridge Park | 1350 Pleasant Ridge Dr | 11.1 | | | | | X | | 2 | | | | | | | | X | X | 1 | | | | |
| Preston's Springs Park | 1937 Dunkirk Dr | 15.95 | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| Raven Run Nature Sanct | 5886 Jacks Creek Pike | 734.32 | | | X | | | | | | X | | X | | 10+ | | | X | | | | | |
| River Hill Park | 3800 Crosby Dr | 16.2 | 1 | 1 | | X | | | | | | | | 0.5 | | | X | X | 1 | | | 3 | |
| Shillito Park | 300 W. Reynolds Rd | 176 | 8 | 2 | | X | | | 6 | | | | X | 2.5 | | X | X | X | 7 | | X | 13 | |
| Southend Park | 701 DeRoode St | 7 | UNDER CONSTRUCTION | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Southland Park | 625 Hill-n-Dale Rd | 16.6 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | X | X | X | 1 | | X | 2 | |
| Southpoint Park | 4496 Graves Dr | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.5 | | | X | | | | | | |
| Speigle Heights Park | 424 Speigle St | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | 0.2 | | | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Stonewall Park | 3205 Cornwall Dr | 9.14 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 0.1 | | X | | | | | | | |

PARK FACTS

| PARK NAME | ADDRESS | ACRES | BASEBALL / SOFTBALL | BASKETBALL / HARD COURT | COMMUNITY CENTER | DISC GOLF | DOG PARK / DOG LOT | IN / OUTDOOR EXERCISE | FOOTBALL / SOCCER FIELD | GOLF COURSE | HISTORIC / NATURAL FEATURE | NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDING | PASSIVE OPEN/WOODED SPACE | PAVED TRAIL (miles) | UNPAVED TRAIL (miles) | PICNIC AREA (tables and grills) | PLAYGROUND | RESTROOMS | SHELTER / PAVILION | SKATEPARK OR SKATE SPOT | SWIMMING / SPRAYGROUND | TENNIS / PICKLEBALL | VOLLEYBALL |
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| Tates Creek | 1400 Gainesway Dr | 123.1 | | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | X | | |
| The Arboretum | 500 Alumni Dr. | 99.44 | | | | | | | | | | | X | 2 | | | X | | | | | | |
| Thompson Road Park | 319 Thompson Rd | 0.5 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Thoroughbred Park | 121 Midland Ave | 3.1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Valley Park | 2077 Cambridge Dr | 18.89 | 2 | 1 | | | | | 2 | | | X | | 0.5 | | | X | X | 1 | X | | | |
| Veterans Park | 650 Southpoint Dr | 235.39 | 6 | 1 | | X | | | | | X | | X | 1.6 | | X | X | X | 4 | | | | |
| Waverly Park | 4244 Southmoor Pk | 11.13 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | 0.7 | | | X | | 1 | | | 1 | |
| Wellington Park | 565 Wellington Way | 38.3 | | | | | X | | | | X | | X | 1.3 | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Whitney Young Park | 1033 St. Martins Ave | 9.4 | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | X | | | | X | X | | 1 | | | | |
| Wildwood Park | 3434 Greenlawn Dr | 4.7 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | X | 0.1 | | | X | | | | | | |
| William Wells Brown Comm. Center | 548 E Sixth St. | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wolf Run Park | 1618 Maywick View Ln | 10 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Woodhill Park | 457 Larkwood Dr | 10.4 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | X | | 0.3 | | | X | X | 1 | | | | |
| Woodland Park | 601 E High St | 19.4 | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | X | | | | | X | X | X | 1 | X | X | 5 | |
| Zandale Park | 750 Zandale Dr | 3.4 | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | | | |



Gymnasium: Artworks at The Carver School, Castlewood, Dunbar, and Kenwick Community Centers

Mountain Bike Trails: Veterans Park (3.5 miles)

Speed Soccer (Enclosed Asphalt Court):
Castlewood (1), Valley Park (3)

Rental Space: Bell House, Camp Kearney, Castlewood Barn, Kearney Hill Golf Course, McConnell Springs, Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center, Picadome Golf Course, Tate Creek Ball Room

Stage, Amphitheater or Entertainment Area:
Cheapside, Douglass Park, Isaac Murphy Art Garden, Masterson Station Park, McConnell Springs, Phoenix Park, and Woodland Park

VOLUNTEER

LFUCG Parks and Recreation is excited to announce a comprehensive volunteer program that will give residents an opportunity to leave a lasting impact on Parks and Recreation facilities, greenspace, and programs. Volunteer activities can be short term, such as a morning planting trees or long term, such as being a therapeutic recreation buddy for outings or classes.

Opportunities

Volunteering with Parks and Recreation will provide opportunities to meet people, improve the park system, and get outdoors. Parks Volunteers will be invited and encouraged to attend the Volunteer Reception reception during April – the official volunteer month.

Contact Suzanne Leibee at [859-288-2962](tel:859-288-2962) or sleibee@lexingtonky.gov for further information.

SPECIAL EVENTS

- Assisting with a special event such as Kite Fest, The Bluegrass 10,000, the Thriller Parade or Friday Night Flicks.

CLEAN UP

- Scheduling time throughout the year to clean up your favorite park and/or trail with a group or an individual basis.

GOLF

- Serving as a golf “starter” or marshal.
- Serving as a greens assistant.
- Serving as a golf cart “gopher” and/or cart washer.

THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

- Serving as a Therapeutic Recreation “buddy”.

OTHER

- Creating your own individual or group volunteer activity.



